



## PATENT APPLICATION

JNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Shin YASUDA et al.

Group Art Unit: 2872

Application No.: 10/796,033

Examiner:

F. Assaf

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Docket No.:

119038

For:

HOLOGRAPHIC RECORDING METHOD AND APPARATUS

## RESPONSE TO ELECTION OF SPECIES REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In reply to the April 5, 2005 Election of Species Requirement, Applicants provisionally elect Species I, claims 1-16, 33-66 and 69-72, without traverse.

Applicants filed an Information Disclosure Statement and PTO-1449 on March 10, 2004. It is respectfully requested that the reference listed on the PTO-1449 be considered and the signed and initialed PTO-1449 be returned to Applicants' representative. The Examiner is invited to contact Applicants' representative listed below with any questions or comments.

Respectfully submitted,

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